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TO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 6797

INFO AMCONSUL ALEXANDRIA

AMCONSUL PORT SAID

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FOR S/IG

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ASIG

SUBJECT: INSPECTION OF NEA/ARP & EGY POSTS

REF: STATE 219061

REFTEL WAS NOT SEEN BY AMBASSADOR BEFORE HIS DEPARTURE
AND I SUGGEST IT BE DISCUSSED WITH HIM DURING HIS
WASHINGTON CONSULTATIONS. EMBASSY DOES NOT SEE PROBLEMS
WITH DATES OCTOBER 6-26 FOR EGYPT INSPECTION, ALTHOUGH
GAO TEAM WILL BE HERE AT SAME TIME, PRIMARILY LOOKING
INTO AID AND PL-480 MATTERS. I DO URGE THAT ALEXANDRIA
INSPECTION BE MADE FEW DAYS EARLIER THAN OCT 12-13 BECAUSE
CONSUL ROYCE FICHTE, WHO WILL HAVE BEEN IN CHARGE OF
POST JULY 5 TO SEPTEMBER 27, DEPARTS ON TRANSFER TO
MEXICO CITY OCTOBER 12. SINCE HE IS LEAVING BY SHIP
UNDER LONG-STANDING PLANS, DELAY IN DEPARTURE WOULD CAUSE
GREAT INCONVENIENCE, AND I ASSUME INSPECTORS WOULD
WISH TO EVALUATE HIS PERFORMANCE AS ACTING CONSUL
GENERAL DURING ABOUT 3-MONTH PERIOD.
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